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Filed: September 9, 2003 §
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For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR §
EFFICIENT ADAPTATION OF FINITE §
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§ Docket: 26560
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Examiner: Joseph P. Hirl §
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Commissioner for Patents
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PETITION TO ACCEPT COLOR DRAWINGS/PHOTOGRAPHS

Sir:

1. This Petition is for the acceptance of color drawings/photographs, both black and white and color, in this case.

2. Attached hereto are three (3) sets of color photographs on DIN size A4 sheets (21.0 by 29.7 cm) for examination, copying and archival purposes.

3. Please amend the specification by inserting the following language as the first paragraph of the specification beginning at Brief Description of the Drawings (page 5 at line 19):

--The file of this patent contains at least one drawing executed in color photograph. Copies of this patent with color photograph(s) will be provided by the Patent and Trademark Office upon request and payment of necessary fee. --

4. Please charge \$ 130.00 and any additional fees, if required, to Deposit Account No. 50-1407. A duplicate copy of this form is attached herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

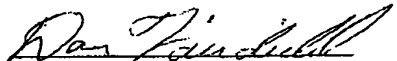
Notice of Allowance Mailed

This application has been accorded an Allowance Date and is being prepared for issuance. The application, however, is incomplete for the reasons below.

Applicant is given 60 days from the mail date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. If the informality pertains to the abstract, specification (including claims) or drawings, the informality must be corrected with an amendment in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121 (or, if the application is a reissue application, 37 CFR 1.173). Such an amendment may be filed after payment of the issue fee if limited to correction of informalities noted herein. See Waiver of 37 CFR 1.312 for Documents Required by the Office of Patent Publication, 1280 Off. Gaz. Patent Office 918 (March 23, 2004). In addition, if the informality is not corrected until after payment of the issue fee, for purposes of 35 U.S.C. 154(b)(1)(iv), "all outstanding requirements" will be considered to have been satisfied when the informality has been corrected. A failure to reply will result in the application being ABANDONED. This period for reply is NOT extendable under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- (1) In the specification filed 9/9/03, a second copy of page 8 follows page 4. Page 5 of the specification is missing.
- (2) See attachment regarding drawing deficiencies.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply. Please address response to
"Mail Stop Issue Fee, Commissioner for Patents,
P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450".*


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Application No. 10657210 Drawings filed 3/8/04

IDENTIFICATION OF DRAWING DEFICIENCIES

- ☐ There is a hole or the image thereof within the illustration. FIG(s) _____
- ☐ The character of the lines, numbers and letters is poor. FIG(s) _____
- ☐ The illustration is penetrated or traversed by a solid or broken line that is not intended to be part of the drawing, such as a dark line caused by a flaw in the copying process. FIG(s) _____
- ☐ An ink stamp or an image obscures part of the illustration. FIG(s) _____
- ☐ The drawing is marred by black smudges, obliterations, or fax/copier marks. FIG(s) _____
- ☐ Figure numbers are duplicated or missing. FIG(s) _____
- ☐ Numbers, letters, or reference characters in the drawing have been crossed out by hand or are illegibly handwritten. FIG(s) _____
- ☐ The drawing's background shows that the original drawing was made on graph paper or other paper with a pattern or decoration. FIG(s) _____
- ☐ The FIG. number label is placed in a location that causes the drawing to be read upside down. FIG(s) _____
- ☐ Data, a reference number, or part of the drawing is truncated or missing. FIG(s) _____
- ☐ The drawing is continued onto a second page (or more) without proper labeling under 37 CFR 1.84(u)(1). FIG(s) _____
- ☐ The drawing and/or the FIG. label contain(s) foreign language. FIG(s) _____

☒ Color drawings are present in this application but the following 37 CFR 1.84(a) requirements have not been met*:

- ☒ Petition filed
- ☒ Petition fee
- ☒ 3 sets of color drawings
- ☒ Color drawing paragraph

*If color drawings are not elected, then applicant **must respond** so stating. Also, references to color drawings in the specification, if any, must be amended.

COMMENTS:



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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Sir:

This is in response to the attached Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated February 9, 2007, which response is being made on or before April 9, 2007, and for which no extension fee is due.

By said Action, it was asserted that page 5 of the Specification was missing and in its place was a second page 8, and the color drawings requirements of 37 CFR 1.84(a) had not yet been met.

By this response, Applicants are submitting Page 5 to be placed after Page 4 (Please remove the duplicate Page 8 currently there) and before Page 6 of the Specification together with a Petition to Accept Color Drawings/Photographs.

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